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- 1. THREE-DAY SEMINAR ON LAW WITH REGARD TO 1949 GENEVA CONVENTIONS OPENED IN DAR ES SALAAM JANUARY 21. SEMINAR WAS ATTENDED BY REPS OF AFRICAN LIBERATION MOVEMENTS, LOCAL AMBASSADORS OF OAU MEMBER STATES, SWISS GOVERNMENT REPS, AND SECRETARY GENERAL OF DEPLOMATIC CONFERENCE ON HUMANITARIAN LAW.
- 2. JANUARY 23 DAR ES SALAAM PRESS ANNOUNCED THAT SWISS GOVERN-MENT MEMORANDUM TO HAVE NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENTS ATTEND FORTHCOMING CONFERENCE UNDER UMBRELLA OF OAU AND NOT IN THEIR OWN RIGHT WAS REJECTED JANUARY 22 BY SEMINAR DELEGATES. LIBERATION GROUP REPS REPORTEDLY SAID THAT IF SWISS GOVERNMENT WANTS THEM TO ATTEND, IT SHOULD INVITE THEM IN THEIR OWN RIGHT. AFRICAN AMBASSADORS IN ATTENDANCE REPORTEDLY SUPPORTED THIS STAND.
- 3. HASHIM MBITA, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF AFRICAN LIBERATION COMMITTEE, WAS PRIMARY SPOKESMAN FOR LIBERATION GROUPS.
- 4. COMMENT FOLLOWS BY SEPTEL. CARTER

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